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A Family Genealogy

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Births and Deaths York Co. Va 1856-1858 p. 39 "John Montgomery died June 16, 1858 aged 60, 3 months & 7 days. His parents were John & Rose Montgomery & he was born in Somerset, Md."

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Some years ago I visited in the home of George S. Montgomery and I was permitted to copy the family records from the Bible that belonged to his father, William Montgomery. Among these records was that of their ancestor, Captain John Montgomery, who it seems, was the progenitor of this family of Montgomery.

Captain John Montgomery[1] came to this area from Somerset Maryland. This is shown in the 1850 Census for York County, Virginia as is his birthdate of 1799. He was b. Sept. 9, 1798. He married Sarah Hopkins March 3, 1827. (Marriage Bond in York County records) She was born 1808, the granddaughter of Joseph Hopkins. They had seven children:

(A) Margaret Montgomery[2] born December 1827 (census)

(B) Elvira Montgomery[2] born 1828 (census)

(C) William Montgomery[2] born July 5, 1829 (Bible record)

(D) John T. Montgomery[2] born 1831 (Bible)

(E) Margaret W. Montgomery[2] born February 22, 1832 (tombstone)

(F) George Montgomery[2] of Warwick County, Virginia

(G) Mary Montgomery[2] (Thomas James Genealogy)

(Note: All tombstone references are to memorials found in the cemetery for Zion United Methodist Church, Seaford, Va.)

Sarah Hopkins Montgomery, mother of these children, died November 30, 1854; Captain John Montgomery, the father, died June 22, 1858. (Bible)

(A) Margaret Montgomery[2], the first child of Captain John Montgomery and Sarah Hopkins Montgomery, was born December 1827. She died a small child.

(B) Elvira Montgomery[2], the second child of Captain John

This death record among York County, Virginia records gives his parentage as John and Rose Montgomery. He was born in Somerset, Md. The information was "reported by his daughter, Mrs. Mills".

Montgomery and his wife, Sarah Hopkins Montgomery, was born 1828. She married Charles Elms and they had two childres:

1. John Elms[3]
2. Another son Elms[3]

John Elms married and lived in New York. He visited his Montgomery relatives in York County, Virginia.

(C) William Montgomery[2], the third child of Captain John Montgomery and Sarah Hopkins Montgomery, was born July 5, 1829. (Family Bible in home of G.S.Montgomery; also on his tombstone.) He married Margaret Tignor March 25, 1853. She was born on the Eastern Shore of Virginia, the daughter of Charles and Frances Tignor, March 21, 1835. (Census for York Co., Va; also her tombstone) They had twelve children:

1. Hickerson Wade Montgomery[3] born December 20, 1853
2. and 3. infants born and died 1855
4. Sarah Anne Montgomery[3] born March 16, 1857
5. Charles Wesley Montgomery[3] born March 1859
6. William Mackendred Montgomery[3] born November 8, 1860
7. Infant daughter born and died June 2, 1863
8. Mary Susan Montgomery[3] born September 10, 1865
9. Buddy Montgomery[3] born September 3, 1868
10. Robert Montgomery[3] born April 1, 1870
11. George Samuel Montgomery[3] born August 2, 1871
12. John Franklin Montgomery[3] born January 20, 1873

Margaret Tignor Montgomery, mother of the above children, died September 11, 1886. William Montgomery, the father of these twelve children, died April 25, 1910. (Copied from his family Bible; also on their tombstones.)

1. Hickerson Wade Montgomery[3], oldest child of William Montgomery[2] and Margaret Tignor Montgomery, born December 20, 1853, married Mary Elizabeth Burcher October 3, 1880. She was born November 16, 1863. They had four children:

(1) Charles Montgomery[4] born September 30, 1882

(2) Harvey W. Montgomery[4] born December 8, 1890

(3) Ollie P. Montgomery[4] born August 28, 1893

(4) Grady Lee Montgomery[4] born April 18, 1896

Elizabeth (Lizzie) Burcher Montgomery, mother of these four men, died September 22, 1942. Hickerson W. Montgomery died July 13, 1935

(1) Charles Montgomery[4] first child of Hickerson W. Montgomery and Elizabeth Burcher Montgomery, died August 9, 1897, unmarried.

(2) Harvey W. Montgomery[4], second child of Hickerson W. Montgomery and Elizabeth Burcher Montgomery, married Clara Riggin June 16, 1915. They had two children:

(a) Roland R. Montgomery[5] born April 27, 1917. He is unmarried.

(b) Emma Jean Montgomery[5] born 1927. She married Gerald Patesel and they have two children: Denice Patesel[6] and Gerald Patesel Jr.[6].

Harvey W. Montgomery died July 24, 1940. Clara Riggin Montgomery died March 21, 1967.[7]

(3) Ollie P. Montgomery[4], third child of Hickerson W. Montgomery and Elizabeth Burcher Montgomery. married Clara Hornsby December 25, 1914. They had three sons:

(a) Clarence P. Montgomery[5] born December 22, 1915

(b) Joseph Allen Montgomery[5] born December 25, 1917

(c) John Wade Montgomery[5] born April 26, 1937

Clara Hornsby Montgomery, mother of these three children, died March 21, 1967. Ollie P. Montgomery, the father, died November 7,1969.

(a) Clarence P. Montgomery[5], first child of Ollie P. Montgomery and Clara Hornsby Montgomery, married Annie Gertrude Crockett March 14, 1936. She was born February 21, 1917. They have three children:

aa. Clarence P. Montgomery Jr.[6] born December 4, 1936, married Margaret Powell July 1968.

bb. Harvey Lee Montgomery[6] married Patricia Callehan and they have three children: Susan Montgomery[7]; Brian Montgomery[7]; and Lee Montgomery[7].

cc. Marcia Ann Montgomery[6] born April 12, 1944, married Peter Joseph Manzo in 1965 and they have two children: Allison Page Manzo[7] and Michael Manzo[7].

(b) Joseph Allen Montgomery[5], second child of Ollie P. Montgomery and Clara Hornsby Montgomery, married first, Ronelda Forrest July 4, 1936. They had a daughter, Susanne Montgomery[6] born August 22, 1937. She married Charlton Mann December 24, 1955 and their two children are: Leslie Susanne Mann[7], born November 26, 1960 and Charlotte Ronelda Mann[7] born October 12, 1962.

Joseph Allen Montgomery married secondly, Iris Marie _____ and they had a daughter, Stephanie Marie Montgomery[6]. He died April 30, 1956.

(c) John Wade Montgomery[5], third child of Ollie P. Montgomery and Clara Hornsby Montgomery, married Virginia Head. They have two children:

aa. John Andrew Montgomery[6] born October 1960 ,

bb. Jerry Wade Montgomery[6] born July 1967.

These live in Texas.

(4) Grady Lee Montgomery[4], fourth and youngest child of Hickerson Montgomery and Elizabeth Burcher Montgomery, married Mary

White June 10, 1921. They had two sons:

(a) Randolph White Montgomery[5] born December 27, 1922

(b) Norwood P. Montgomery[5] born May 21, 1933

Grady Lee Montgomery served in World War I. . He died December 2, 1981.

(a) Randolph White Montgomery[5], first child of Grady Lee Montgomery and Mary White Montgomery, married Jacqueline Moore June 4, 1941. They had five sons:

aa. David Montgomery[6] born August 15, 1942 was the victim in a hit and run accident in Houston, Texas August 9, 1977. He was unmarried.

bb. Dwight Montgomery[6] born June 4, 1944, married Pamella Castellow June 1966. They have two children: Lisa Montgomery[7] born June 19, 1967 and Tricia Montgomery[7] born August 22, 1971.

cc. Jonathan Montgomery[6], born July 28, 1948, married Nancy Forrest April 9, 1971.

dd. Jack W. Montgomery[6] born August 1, 1953

ee. Randolph W. Montgomery Jr.[6] born in 1959.

This Montgomery family lives in Poquoson.

(b) Norwood P. Montgomery[5], second and youngest son of Grady L. Montgomery and Mary White Montgomery, born May 21, 1933, married Odessa Benbou September 12, 1959 and they have two children:

aa. Chrystal Marie Montgomery[6], adopted in 1963, born July 28, 1962.

bb. Gaylon Norwood Montgomery[6] born January 1, 1964.

Norwood P. Montgomery is a minister in the Virginia Conference, United Methodist Churches and is currently serving at St Luke's in Grafton. (This Montgomery information was taken from Ironmonger abd Connections (1982) by this compiler.)

2. and 3. infant children of William Montgomery[2] and Margaret Tignor Montgomery were born and died 1855-56.

4. Sarah (Sallie) Ann Montgomery[3], fourth child of William Montgomery[2] and Margaret Tignor Montgomery, was born March 16, 1847. She married _____Dawson. Given are her three children:

(1) William (Willie) Dawson[4] who lived to be an adult but never married.

(2) a daughter[4] Dawson who married _____ Parker and had a son, Merrell L. Parker[5].

(3) Linwood Dawson[4] who died October 10, 1966 unmarried. He was the owner and operator of a well known restaurant in the Warwick section of Newport News.

5. Charles Wesley Montgomery[3], son of William Montgomery[2] and Margaret Tignor Montgomery, born March 1859; died unmarried on April 28, 1879.

6. William Mackendred Montgomery[3], son of William Montgomery[2] and Margaret Tignor Montgomery, born March 8, 1860 died May 28,1873.

7. Infant daughter born and died June 2, 1863.

8. Mary Susan Montgomery[3], daughter of William Montgomery[2] anf Margaret Tignor Montgomery, was born September 10, 1865. She married William H. Hornsby September 26, 1881. They had seven children:

(1) Nettie Belle Hornsby[4] born July 1882 (tombstone)

(2) Margaret Maria Hornsby[4] (called Maggie) born 1886 (Obit.)

(3) Lola Mae Hornsby[4] born 1890 (Obituary Daily Press)

(4) Luther Coleman Hornsby[4] born September 6, 1892 (tombstone)

(5) Stanley Montgomery Hornsby[4] born 1894

(6) William Henry Hornsby[4] Jr (called "Bee") born 1896 (Obit.)

(7) Oscar Franklin Hornsby[4] born December 27, 1899 (tombstone)

(1) Nettie Belle Hornsby[4], first child of William H. Hornsby and Mary Susan Montgomery Hornsby, was born July 1882 and died November 2, 1894 aged "11 years and four months". (tombstone)

(2) Margaret Maria Hornsby[4], second child of William H. Hornsby and Mary Susan Montgomery Hornsby, was born 1886 and she married Dr. Lawson Otwood Powell in 1906. They had two sons:

(a) William Alexander Powell[5] born April 1910

(b) Lawson Otwood Powell[5] Jr. born 1917 (obit. Daily Press)

(a) William Alexander Powell[5] married Susie Hogge of Gloucester and they had one daughter, Marilyn Powell[6] who married Darell Eanes. They have a son.

William A. Powell married secondly, Hermie _____. There were no children. He died June 6, 1978. (Obit., Daily Press)

(b) Lawson Otwood Powell[5] Jr. married and had several children. He died September 6, 1968 a relatively young man.

Dr. L.O.Powell, father of these two sons, died June 12, L966. He was ninety years old. Margaret Hornsby Powell, their mother, died June 28, 1967. (Obituaries Daily Press.)

(3) Lola Mae Hornsby[4], daughter of William H. Hornsby and Mary Susan Montgomery Hornsby, was born 1890 and she married Eugene Elmer Slaight June 3, 1908. They had eight children:

(a) Elizabeth Susan Slaight[5] born December 8, 1909

(b) Helen Lucille Slaight[5] born February 19, 1912

(c) Lola Mae Slaight[5] born March 1914

(d) Margaret Young Slaight[5] born March 25, 1916

(e) Eugene Elmer Slaight[5] Jr. born October 21, 1918

(f) Nettie Gwendolyn[5] Slaight born December 10, 1922

(g) Winifred[5] Slaight born October 20, 1926

(h) Mancy[5] Slaight born January 29, 1931

Eugene Elmer Slaight, father of these children, died November 1951. Lola Mae Hornsby Slaight died February 25, 1967. (Obituary Daily Press.)

(a). Elizabeth Susan[5] Slaight married Judge Conway H. Sheild Jr. January 3, 1931. They had four children:

(aa.) Kay[6] Sheild, married to Joseph Puccia, and they have three sons.

(bb.) Lettie[6] Sheild, married to Stephen Best, and they have two children.

(cc.) Betty[6] Sheild (twin to Lettie), married Cary Seates and they have two sons and two daughters.

(dd.) Conway[6] H. Sheild III. married and is a lawyer.

(b) Helen Lucille[5] Slaight married Edwin Myers July 5, 1930. and they have two daughters:

(aa.) Edwina[6] Myers, born September 18, 1932, married Judge A.B.Smith.

(bb.) Susan[6] Myers born January 4, 1941

(c) Lola Mae[5] Slaight married Lloyd Fletcher April 15, 1940. Their children were:

(aa.) Dianne[6] M. Fletcher born April 6, 1941

(bb.) Bruce[6] Fletcher born January 29, 1946 died October 22, 1967 in a automobile accident.

(d). Margaret Young[5] Slaight married Wilmer Anderson June 1935. They have two sons: Wilmer[6] Anderson born 1946 and Daniel[6] Anderson born 1949.

(e) Eugene Elmer[5] Slaight, botn October 21, 1918 is unmarried.

(f) Nettie Gwendolyn[5] Slaight married A.B.Smith October 6, 1951. They had three children:

aa. Lynn[6] Smith born June 17, 1953

bb. Susan[6] Smith born September 18, 1954

cc. A.B.[6] Smith Jr. born October 19, 1956

Gwendolyn Slaight Smith died February 21, 1959.

(g) Winifred[5] Slaight married William Morris February 4, 1947. They have three children:

aa. Barry[6] Morris born 1948

bb. Margaret[6] Morris born 1950

cc. Lori[6] Anne Morris born November 23, 1959

(h) Nancy[5] Slaight married Thomas Doddy June 25, 1947. They had four children:

aa. Paul[6] Doddy born January 8, 1950

bb. Lola[6] Doddy born November 14, 1951

cc. Chris[6] Doddy born December 14, 1955

dd. Lisa[6] Doddy born June 25, 1959

(Note: This Slaight information is taken from Thomas James, a genealogy written by this same compiler.)

(4) Luther Coleman[4] Hornsby, son of William H. Hornsby and Mary Susan Montgomery[3] Hornsby was born September 6, 1892. He served in World War I. and was wounded in the Argonne Forest in France on Armistice Day. He died November 13, 1918. (tombstone)

(5) Stanley Montgomery[4] Hornsby, son of William H. Hornsby and Mary Susan Montgomery[3] Hornsby, was born 1894. He married Louise

Horsey of Maryland. They had one son, Stanley Montgomery[5] Hornsby Jr. born June 6, 1925. He died a casualty in World War II. in Europe November 23, 1944, aged nineteen years.

This family lived in Norfolk and Mr. Hornsby died there.

(6) William Henry[4] Hornsby, Jr., son of William H. Hornsby and Mary Susan Montgomery[3] Hornsby, (called "Bee") was born 1896 (Obit) He married Majorie Langslow and they had one child: Mary Stuart[5] Hornsby. She married J.D.Andrews and they have three children. William H.Hornsby Jr. died November 23, 1965. (Obit. Daily Press)

(7) Oscar Franklin[4] Hornsby, seventh child of William H. Hornsby and Mary Susan Montgomery[3] Hornsby, was born December 27, 1899. He worked in Richmond and died unmarried April 19, 1948.

William H. Hornsby Sr., the father of the above seven children, was born January 26, 1857 and he died April 19, 1923. Mary Susan Montgomery Hornsby, the mother, died December 16, 1943.

9. Buddy Montgomery[3], son of William Montgomery[2] and Margaret Tignor Montgomery, was born September 3, 1868. He died June 27,1869.

10. Robert Montgomery[3], son of William Montgomery[2] and Margaret Tignor Montgomery was born April 1, 1870. He died July 3, 1870.

11. George Samuel Montgomery[3], son of William Montgomery[2] and Margaret Tignor Montgomery, was born Auguat 2, 1871. He married Martha Eliza Hogg, daughter of Thomas W. Hogg and Columbia Burt Hogg, November 24, 1892. They had five children:

(1) Vaiden L. Montgomery[4] born 1893

(2) Elvira Montgomery[4] born November 17, 1895

(3) Roy M.Montgomery[4] born February 3, 1901

(4) Ray Montgomery[4] born February 25, 1902

(5) Herman Montgomery[4] born September 19, 1904

Martha (Mattie) Montgomery, mother of these children, died November 17, 1960. George S. Montgomery[3], the father, lived to be nearly one hundred years old, dying July 20, 1971.

(1) Vaiden L. Montgomery[4] married Virginia _____ and they had a daughter DorothyMontgomery[5] who married _____LeRette and she died April 23, 1964, leaving children. Vaiden Montgomery married secondly Emma Jackson, but they had no children. He died June 23, 1962.

(2) Elvira Montgomery[4], second child of George S. Montgomery and Martha Hogg Montgomery, married Benjamin F.Smith of New York. They had two daughters:

(a) Margaret Loraine Smith[5] born July 25, 1921

(b) Evelyn Marie Smith[5] born December 3, 1924

These two Smith sisters married two Martin brothers from Poquoson.

(a) Margaret Loraine Smith[5] married George N. Martin June 6, 1941 and they have two children:

aa. Emma Jean Martin[6] born October 15, 1944, married Gary Patrick Hurst June 24, 1967.

bb. George N. Martin Jr.[6], born April 24, 1947

(b) Evelyn Marie Smith[5] married James R. Martin August 3,1941 and they have one adopted daughter, Deborah Martin[6], born July 4,1952.

(3) Roy M. Montgomery[4], third child of George S. Montgomery and Martha Hogg Montgomery died June 23, 1901, aged four months.

(4) Ray Montgomery[4], son of George S. Montgomery[3] and Marthe Hogg Montgomery, married Ada Clarke. They had one daughter: Mattie Lorene Montgomery[5] who married first, Ernest McDowell and had three children: Ernest McDowell Jr.[6]; Marguerite McDowell[6], who is married; and James Lowery McDowell[6], who was killed in an automobile accident July 23, 1976, aged twenty-five years.

Mattie Lorene Montgomery McDowell married secondly, Sydney Wood; they have no children.

(5) Herman Montgomery[4], fifth and youngest child of George S. Montgomery and Martha (Mattie) Hogg Montgomery, married Louise Wilson. They had no children.

Herman Montgomery died

12. John Franklin Montgomery[3], the twelfth and youngest child of William Montgomery[2] and Margaret Tignor Montgomery, was born January 20, 1873. He married and lived in Richmond, Virginia. He frequently visited his relatives in York County, Virginia.

(D) John T.Montgomery[2], fourth child of Captain John Montgomery[1] and Sarah Hopkins Montgomery, was born 1831. (Bible) He married Martha Elizabeth Washington Roberts, daughter of Rooksby Roberts and Harriett James Roberts. He was for many years a commission merchant in Richmond, Virginia where his family and descendants have lived.

John T. Montgomery served in the 115th Virginia Regiment Confederate States Army, enlisting June 24, 1861.

He and his wife had eleven children:

1. Adolphus Franklin Montgomery[3] born April 10, 1855
2. Nicholas C. Montgomery[3] born January 21, 1857

3. Sydney Montgomery[3]

4. Henriett Lee Montgomery[3]

5. Joseph S. Montgomery[3]

6. Sarah Montgomery[3]

7. William Montgomery[3]

8. Roy C. Montgomery[3]

9. Ethelbert Montgomery[3]

10. Waverley Montgomery[3]

11. Stanley Montgomery[3]

John T. Montgomery[2], father of these children, died March 14, 1912, aged eighty-one years. His wife, Martha Elizabeth W. Roberts Montgomery, died June 7, 1917. Both are buried in Oakwood Cemetery in Richmond.

1. Adolphus Franklin Montgomery[3]; 2. Nicholas C. Montgomery[3]; and 3. Sydney Montgomery[3], sons of John T. Montgomery[2] and Martha Elizabeth Roberts Montgomery, died unmarried.

4. Henriett Lee Montgomery[3] married Andrew Clifford Stevenson and they had five children:

(1) Irma Stevenson[4]

(2) James Thomas Stevenson[4]

(3) Florence Stevenson[4]

(4) Martha Lee Stevenson[4]

(5) Andrew Clifford Stevenson Jr.[4]

(1) Irma Stevenson[4] married Charles Clifford Michie and they had two children:

(a) Charles Clifford Mickie Jr.[5] who is married and lives in Cleveland, Ohio.

(b) Graee Mickie[5] who married William Cabell and they have a son, William Cabell Jr.[6]

(2) James Thomas[4] Stevenson married Kathleen Gregory and they had two children:

(a) Florence Boone[5] Stevenson who married John MacKenzie, Dean of Admissions at Boston University. They had three children.

(b) James Thomas[5] Stevenson Jr. married Jean Gould. They had three children.

(3) Florence[4] Stevenson married Atwill Temple and thay had a daughter, Mary Ann[5] Temple.

(4) Martha Lee[4] Stevenson married Edward F. Schmidt. They have two children:

(a) Edward F.[5] Schmidt Jr. who married Elizabeth Thompson and their three children are:

aa. Elizabeth Lee[6] Schmidt born January 1, 1951

bb. Edward Frank[6] Schmidt III. born August 8, 1953

cc. Ann Kathrine[6] Schmidt born 1955

(b) Sruart Gray[5] Schmidt married Elizabeth Howard and they had three children:

aa. Stuart Gray[6] Schmidt Jr. born December 26, 1950

bb. Howard Stevenson[6] Schmidt born November 17, 1953

cc. James Douglas[6] Schmidt born March 3, 1958

(5) Andrew Clifford[4] Stevenson Jr. married Gladys Snider. They had one son, Andrew Clifford[5] Stevenson III. who is married and has two children.

5. Jospeh S. Montgomery[3], son of John T. Montgomery[2] and Martha E.W.Roberts Montgomery, married Minnie Burch and they had three children:

(1) Edith Montgomery[4] who is married.

(2) Sallie Montgomery[4] who married James A. Doubles and they had two children.

(3) Joseph S. Montgomery[4] Jr. who is married and has a daughter.

6. Sarah Montgomery[3] (Sallie), daughter of John T. Montgomery[2] and Martha E.W.Roberts Montgomery, married William Alexander Brown of Baltimore, Maryland. They had three children:

(1) William Alexander Brown[4] Jr. who died in infancy

(2) Mamie Lee Brown[4] and she died in infancy

(3) Wilson Montgomery Brown[4] who married Doris Ambers and their son Wilson Montgomery Brown[5] Jr. married Elizabeth Shanklin. Their children are: Wilson Montgomery Brown[6] III.; Laura Porter Brown[6]; David Shelby Brown[6]; and Arthur Brown[6].

7. William Montgomery[3]; 8. Roy C. Montgomery[3]; 9. Ethelbert Montgomery[3]; 10. Waverly Montgomery[3]; and 11. Stanley Montgomery[3] all sons of John T. Montgomery[2] and his wife Martha E.W.Roberts Montgomery never married.
(Note: This Montgomery informationwas from Wilson Brown as shown in Thomas James, Ancestry and Descendants p. 351, written by this author.)

E. Margaret W. Montgomery[2], daughter of Capt. John Montgomery[1] and his wife Sarah Hopkins Montgomery, was born February 22, 1832. (Tombstone) She married John Bull Mills and they were the parents of:

1. Virginia Ann Mills[3] born August 10, 1852 (tombstone)
2. Thomas Mills[3]
3. Tabitha Burton Mills[3] born April 20, 1860 (Ironmonger Gen.)
4. Sarah Alice Mills[3] born April 4, 1863 (tombstone)
5. J. Wesley Mills[3] born June 28, 1866 (tombstone)
6. ~~William~~ Henry Mills[3] born 1869 (tombstone)

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7. Ethelbert[3] Mills born November 20, 1874 (tombstone)

8. Catherine (Cattie)[3] Mills born 1877

John Bull Mills, the father of these children, was born August 8, 1825 and died December 10, 1909. Margaret W. Montgomery Mills, the mother, died June 29, 1911.

1. Virginia Ann[3] Mills, first child of John Bull Mills and Margaret Montgomery[2] Mills, was born August 10, 1852. She married Samuel Cyrus Ironmonger April 9, 1875. They had two daughters:

(1) Etta Evelyn[4] Ironmonger born March 22, 1876

(2) Josephine[4] Ironmonger born April 9, 1879

Virginia Ann Mills Ironmonger, the mother of these two daughters, died August 25, 1882 when only thirty years of age. Samuel Cyrus Ironmonger, their father, died in 1927.

(1) Etta Evelyn[4] Ironmonger, first daughter of Samuel C. Ironmonger and Virginia Ann Mills Ironmonger, born March 22, 1876, married Gaston A. Wornom August 16, 1898. They had four children:

(a) Forrest E.[5] Wornom born October 18, 1899

(b) An infant son born July 17, 1901

(c) William Samuel[5] Wornom born October 16, 1904

(d) Lucille Annette[5] Wornom born April 1, 1915

Gaston A. Wornom, the father of the above named children, died November 22, 1939. Etta Evelyn Ironmonger Wornom, their mother, died November 14, 1953.

(a) Forrest E.[5] Wornom, first child of Gaston A. Wornom and Etta Ironmonger[4] Wornom, married Helen Delk April 22, 1926. They had two daughters:

aa. Helen Perry[6] Wornom born March 13, 1937, married Fayette

Sinclair Moore September 1, 1956 and their four children are:

i. John Forrest[7] Moore born July 16, 1957

ii. Raleigh Marshell[7] Moore born August 23, 1960

iii. Elizabeth Lee[7] Moore born February 27, 1963

iv. Crysta Clair[7] Moore born October 25, 1969

bb. Carol Marshall[6] Wornom, second child of Forrest E. Wornom and Helen Delk Wornom, was born October 25, 1939. She married Richard S. Sorensen[7] August 31, 1969. They have an adopted son, Marshall Eric Sorensen born December 1, 1969.

Forrest E. Wornom died October 9, 1981.

(b) Infant son of Gaston Wornom and Etta Ironmonger[4] Wornom was born July 17, 1901 and died at birth.

(c) William Samuel[5] Wornom, third child of Gaston Wornom and Etta Ironmonger[4] Wornom, was born October 16, 1904. He married Esther Crockett September 1, 1929. They had one son, William Samuel[6] Wornom, Jr., born May 7, 1948 and he married Barbara Joyner June 29,1970. They have two children: a son and a daughter.

(d) Lucille Annette[5] Wornom, fourth child of Gaston Wornom and Etta Ironmonger[4] Wornom, was born April 1, 1915. She married first, James Splain and they had twins: James Arcilla Splain and Mary Jacqueline Splain, born July 9, 1941. They died at birth. Lucille Wornom Splain married secondly, Nelson Sears November 13,1948. They have no children.

(2) Josephine[4] Ironmonger, second and youngest child of Samuel Cyrus[3] Ironmonger and Virginia Ann Mills Ironmonger, born April 9, 1879 married George Edward Purgold April 24, 1901. They had five children.

(a) Virginia Ann[5] Purgold born September 9, 1903

(b) George Cyrus[5] Purgold born July 29, 1905

(c) Evelyn[5] Purgold born July 30, 1910

(d) Gertrude[5] Purgold born September 16, 1913

(e) Joseph[5] Purgold born February 27, 1916

Josephine Ironmonger Purgold, the mother of these children. died March 1, 1941. George Edward Purgold, their father, died January 31, 1961.

(a) Virginia Ann[5] Purgold, first child of George Edward Purgold and Josephine Ironmonger[4] Purgold, married Leonard Davis February 5, 1925. They had two children:

aa. Dolores Ann[6] Davis born September 30, 1931

bb. Donald Purgold[6] Davis born October 15, 1934

Leonard Davis, the father of these children, died February 27, 1967.

aa. Dolores Ann[6] Davis married James Hautz December 23, 1948. they have four children:

i. James[7] Hautz Jr. born November 16, 1949

ii. Nancy[7] Hautz born Movember 27, 1951; married David Johnson October 4, 1969.

iii. Peggy[7] Hautz born November 29, 1954

iv. Myra Jo[7] Hautz born July 18, 1970

bb. Donald Purgold[6] Davis, second and youngest child of Leonard Davis and Virginia[5] Purgold Davis, married Lois Ann[7] Presson June 7, 1959. They had two sons: Keith Davis born July 17, 1962 and Keven[7] Davis born October 16, 1965. Donald P. Davis is an ordained Methodist minister. Lois Ann Davis died August 7, 1981.

(b) George Cyrus[5] Purgold, second child of George Edward Purgold[4] and Josephine Ironmonger Purgold, married first, Olevia Griffin December 7, 1937. He married secondly, Belle Williams Dowdy, a widow. There were no children from either marriage. George Cyrus Purgold died June 26, 1967.

(c) Evelyn[5] Purgold, third child of George Edward Purgold[4] and Josephine Ironmonger Purgold, married Smith Firth April 21, 1941. They had one son Gilbert Smith[6] Firth born October 7, 1942. He married Helen Fay Pate September 28, 1968 and they have two children.

Smith Firth died January 8, 1958.

(d) Gertrude[5] Purgold, fourth child of George Edward Purgold and Josephine[4] Ironmonger Purgold, married Allen Davis July 9, 1936. They had two children:

aa. Wilmer[6] Davis born August 6, 1941; he married Norma Jean Wade April 1, 1966 and they have a child Scott Allen[7] Davis born December 1968.

bb. Josephine[6] Davis born April 11, 1945, married Dr. Jordon Mitchell[7] December 18, 1966. They have two children: Sheryl Mitchell born January 11,1970 and Cynthia Lynn[7] Mitchell born September 27, 1971.

Gertrude[5] Purgold Davis died September 17, 1976; Allen Davis, her husband, died April 6, 1979.

(e) Joseph[5] Purgold, fifth and youngest child of George Edward[4] Purgold and Josephine Ironmonger Purgold, married Mabel Hogge October 21, 1939. They have two children:

aa. Gerald Carlton[6] Purgold born March 6, 1943

bb. Carolyn Jo[6] Purgold born August 26, 1946

2. Thomas[3] Mills, son of John Bull Mills and Margaeat Monygomery[2], was born . He married Mamie Almond. They lived in Gloucester and also Hampton. They had these children:

(1) John[4] Mills born 1883
(2) Mattie Olivia[4] Mills born 1886
(3) Claude[4] Mills
(4) Ruth[4] Mills
(5) Mayland[4] Mills
(6) Avis[4] Mills born 1901

(1) John[4] Mills married Lottie Giddings of Gloucester County. He was a Methodist minister and served in Danville, Princess Anne, Norfolk, Mathews, and York Counties. When he retired he and his family made Seaford their home. He was born 1883 and died October 31, 1966; his wife was born 1889 and died March 19, 1978. (Dates from their obituaries in Daily Press.) They are interred in Norfolk. Their children are given:

(a) Eileen[5] Mills
(b) Francis[5] Mills
(c) Helen[5] Mills
(d) Curtis[5] Mills
(e) Gladys[5] Mills
(f) John Calvin[5] Mills

(a) Eileen[5] Mills married Benjamin Milo Rush of Pennsylvania. They had two sons:

(aa) Benjamin Milo[6] Rush Jr. who married Florence Baker. He is a member of the York County Board of Supervisors and his wife teaches in the York County School System. Their children are: Teresa Louise[7] Rush June 16, 1964 and Benjamin Milo[7] Rush III..

(bb) Norman[6] Rush married Nancy Westcott. He is a minister. Their children are: Norman[7] Rush Jr. born 1960; Dale Wayne[7] Rush born 1961; and Romona Louise[7] Ruch born 1967.

(b) Francis[5] Mills married Bernice Hurst of Mathews County. Their daughter Joan[6] Mills is involved in Secondary Education with the York County School System. He is an active participant in the administrative affairs in Zion United Methodist Church in Seaford.

(c) Helen[5] Mills died a young woman.

(d) Curtis[5] Mills married Hilda Richardson. They live in Seaford.

(e) Gladys[5] Mills married Ralph Meredith. They have two children:

(aa) Ralph[6] Meredith Jr

(bb) Janice[6] Meredith

(f) John Calvin[5] Mills born February 15, 1916, married Hazel Meredith. She was born April 28, 1917 and died March 11, 1965. He died April 13, 1976. They are interred in Zion Cemetery, Seaford and dates are from their tombstones. They had three daughters.

(2) Mattie Olivia[4] Mills, born 1886, married Robert Padgette. She died January 15, 1960; she was a native of Gloucester but lived in Hampton where she died. (Her obit.)

(3) Claude[4] Mills married and lived in Hampton and Newport News. He had a family.

(4) Ruth[4] Mills married J. Allen Pointer; there were no children.

(5) Mayland[4] Mills died in infancy.

(6) Avis[4] Mills, born 1901, never married. She lived in Hampton. She died May 19, 1983. (Obituary Daily Press.)

2. Tabitha[3] Mills, second daughter of John Bull Mills and Margaret Montgomery Mills, was born April 20, 1860. She married George Diborell Ironmonger July 23, 1879. They had eight children:

(1) Geneva Pearl[4] Ironmonger born May 12, 1880

(2) George Daulby[4] Ironmonger born September 2, 1881

(3) John Samuel[4] Ironmonger born November 27, 1882

(4) Royal Sylvester[4] Ironmonger born January 5, 1885

(5) Lena Power[4] Ironmonger born June 30, 1887

(6) George Elmo[4] Ironmonger born June 30, 1887 (twin)

(7) Tabitha Burton[4] Ironmonger born May 3, 1889

(8) Cyrus Reginald[4] Ironmonger born May 31, 1893

Five of these children died in childhood. George Diborell Ironmonger, father of these children, died December 30, 1894 aged 38½ years old. Tabitha[3] Mills Ironmonger, the mother, died in August 1936.

(1) Geneva Pearl[4] Ironmonger, the first child of this couple, died February 10, 1888, aged 7½ years.

(2) George Daulby[4] Ironmonger, the second child, died December 2, 1881.

(3) John Samuel[4] Ironmonger, third child, lived nearly twelve years, died September 21, 1894.

(4) Royal Sylvester[4] Ironmonger, fourth child of George D. Ironmonger and Tabitha Mills Ironmonger, born January 5, 1885, married Annie Belle Sparrer January 12, 1924. They had one son, John Royal[5] Ironmonger, born December 24, 1928. He is unmarried (1982) and resides in Washington, D.C.. Royal Sylvester Ironmonger died November 1, 1945. Annie Belle Sparrer Ironmonger died March 8, 1953.

(5) Lena Power[4] Ironmonger, the fifth child of George D. Ironmonger and Tabitha Mills Ironmonger, married George Houston September 25, 1910. They had five children:

(a) William Ironmonger[5] Houston born October 1, 1912

(b) George[5] Aylett Houston born September 10, 1915

(c) Royal[5] D. Houston born February 25, 1921

(d) and (e) twins born around 1924; died.

George Houston, father of these children, died February 17, 1947. Lena Ironmonger Houston, the mother, died November 21, 1964.

(a) William Ironmonger[5] Houston, first child of George Houston and Lena Ironmonger Houston, married Josephine Jenkins and they have one daughter JoAnne[6] Houston, born May 31, 1943. She married Charles Frank Parrott December 4, 1967. They have three children: Charles Franklin Parrott Jr. of a former marriage and legally adopted by his step-mother December 1971; William Joseph[7] Parrott born November 5, 1969; Christopher Brian[7] Parrott born August 2, 1971.

(b) George Aylett[5] Houston, second son of George Houston and Lena Ironmonger Houston, married Evelyn M. Miller and they have one daughter, Barbara Ann[6] Houston born June 20, 1950. George Aylett Houston died July 15, 1956.

(c) Royal[5] D. Houston, third son of George Houston and Lena Ironmonger Houston, born February 25, 1921, married Velma Wellons March 28, 1953. They have one son Don Royal[6] Houston, born April 16, 1954.

(d) and (e) twins born around 1924 died at birth, un-named.

(6) George Elmo[4] Ironmonger, twin to Lena P. Ironmonger, son of George D. Ironmonger and Tabitha Mills Ironmonger, was born June 30,

1887 and he died November 17, 1889.

(7) Tabitha Burton Ironmonger[4], seventh child of George D. Ironmonger and Tabitha Mills Ironmonger, was born May 3, 1889. She married Benjamin F. King October 25, 1912. They had two daughters:

(a) Lucille King[5] born August 15, 1913

(b) Doris Mae King[5] born May 22, 1924.

Benjamin F. King, father of these two daughters, died January 19, 1966. Lucille King[5] married Draper Smith; they have no children. Doris Mae King[5] married Robert Smith and had three children: Paul Randolph Smith[6], born October 6, 1948; Gary Gene Smith[6] born June 11, 1952; Stephen King Smith[6] born July 9, 1959.

Tabitha Ironmonger King died January 19, 1966

(8) Cyrus Reginald Ironmonger[4], eighth and youngest child of George D. Ironmonger and Tabitha Mills Ironmonger, was born May 31, 1893 and died June 21, 1900.

4. Sarah Alice Mills[3], daughter of John Bull Mills[2] and Margaret Montgomery Mills, married Seth Shepherd Stroud December 26, 1878. Given are their six children:

(1) Edna Marvin Stroud[4] born December 6, 1880

(2) Pauline Stroud[4] born September 22, 1884

(3) Woodward Stroud[4] born February 4, 1893

(4) William Carlisle Stroud[4] born November 18, 1895

(5) Margaret Stroud[4] born October 9, 1901

(6) Stuart Aubrey Stroud[4] born 1903

Seth Shepherd Stroud born October 20, 1850 died September 26, 1932. Alice Mills Stroud died November 19, 1937. (tombstones in cemetery for Zion United Methodist Church in Seaford.

(1) Edna Marvin[4] Stroud married first, Leroy Hornsby. They had a son (a) Paul[5] Hornsby who married Rosa Davenport. These were the parents of two daughters: Eula Rose[6] Hornsby and Edna[6] Hornsby. Both are married and have families. Edna Stroud Hornsby married secondly, Clarence Edward Crockett December 26, 1900. Their children are:

(b) Elsie[5] Crockett born November 13, 1901

(c) Wilfred Travis[5] Crockett born June 29, 1904

(d) Clarence E.[5] Crockett born August 4, 1908;died Feb. 1909

(e) John Thomas[5] Crockett born July 18, 1911

(f) Katherine[5] Crockett born March 7, 1916

Edna Stroud Crockett died August 13, 1956; Clarence Edward Crockett died March 6, 1961.

(b) Elsie[5] Crockett married Horace Hansford December 26, 1917. They had three children:

aa. Doris Cornelia[6] Hansford born December 1, 1918; married Ashby Johnson December 9, 1939 and they had a daughter, Norma[7] Johnson born September 15, 1944. She married Wayne Ahner and they have a son Ashby Ahner. Ashby Johnson died April 23, 1969 aged 58 years.

bb. Robert Hudson[6] Hansford born September 16, 1922, married Margarite Moore Harrell June 30, 1945. They had two daughters: Elsie Louise[7] Hansford born September 20, 1946 and Lisa Hudson[7] Hansford born April 26, 1954. Both of these are married. Robert Hudson Hansford married secondly, Alice _____.

cc. Norma Jeanette[6] Hansford born March 5, 1929 married Franklin Lawson October 11, 1952. Their children are: H.Franklin[7] Lawson born September 3, 1953 and Katherine Ann[7] Lawson born January 8, 1955.

(c) Wilfred Travis[5] Crockett, son of C.E.Crockett and Edna Stroud[4] Crockett married Evelyn Hogg. They had two children:

aa. Janice[6] Crockett who married Roy Mathis and they have one daughter.

bb. Carey Thomas[6] Crockett who married Virginia Ginhart; he has been married a second time.

Following the death of Evelyn Hogg Crockett, Wilfred Travis Crockett married secondly, Irene Hudgins Owens, a widow. He died July 25, 1981.

(e) John Thomas[5] Crockett married Lucille Gindhart and they have a daughter, Sharon[6] Crockett who married James[7] Freeman Jr. November 26, 1966. Their children are Tamara[7] Freeman and David[7] Freeman.

(f) Katherine[5] Crockett married Edward Westcott. They have two sons and a daughter:

aa. Clarence[6] Westcott who is married.

bb. David[6] Westcott also married

cc. Sandra Westcott born February 6, 1961

(2) Pauline[4] Stroud, second child of Seth Shepherd Stroud and Alice[3] Mills Stroud, born September 22, 1884 married first, Rodney Spencer April 18, 1905. He died and she married secondly, W. Joseph Wood. They had no children.

(3) Woodward[4] Stroud, son of S.S.Stroud and Alice[3] Mills Stroud, married but had no children. He died May 7, 1919.

(4) William Carlisle[4] Stroud, son of S.S.Stroud and Alice[3] Mills, Stroud died unmarried February 24, 1918.

(5) Margaret[4] Stroud, daughter of S.S.Stroud and Alice[3] Mills Stroud, married Robert A. Wood. They had two children:

(a) Majorie[5] Wood who married Russell Gillikin and they have five daughters.

(b) Robert Stuart Wood married and has four children.

Margaret Stroud Wood died July 8, 1942.

(6) Stuart Aubrey Stroud, youngest child of Seth Shepherd Stroud and Alice Mills Stroud, married Martha Freeman. They had no children. Martha Freeman Stroud died June 17, 1976.

~~5~~. J. Wesley Mills, eldest son of John Bull Mills and Margaret Montgomery Mills, was born June 28, 1866. (tombstone) He married Virginia Dutton from Gloucester County, Virginia. She was born Octoberll, 1867.(tombstone) They had eight children:

(1) George Wesley Mills born 1887(obit.

(2) Clifton Pendleton Mills born 1889 (obit.)

(3) Otis Robin Mills born November 20, 1890 (tombstone)

(4) Robert Elmer Mills born 1892 (tombstone)

(5) Bertha Lee Mills born December 24, 1892 (tombstone)

(6) John Bull Mills

(7) Clarence Mills

(8) Wesley (Wessie) Mills born 1904

J. Wesley Mills, father of the above children, died May 13, 1904. Virginia Dutton Mills, their mother, died April 11, 1924. (tombstones)

(1) George Wesley Mills married Julia Thomas Hansford July 14, 1909. They had four children:

(a) William Wesley Mills born November 23, 1910

(b) Anna Virginia Mills born February 20, 1915

(c) Ivan Dutton Mills born April 19, 1919

(d) Olive ~~Charlaine~~ SHARLENE Mills born July 15, 1926

George Wesley[4] Mills, father of these children, died September 10, 1969 aged 82 years. (Obit. Daily Press.) Julia Hansford Mills, their mother, died August 21, 1971.

(a) William Wesley[5] Mills, oldest child of George Wesley Mills and Julia Hansford Mills, married Thelma Taylor of Pocomoke, Md. May 6, 1933. They had two sons:

aa. William Wesley[6] Mills Jr. born December 10, 1935; married Lisa Schindler December 30, 1961. They have two children.

bb. Jerry Dale[6] Mills born September 23, 1946. He is married and has a family.

William Wesley[5] Mills died April 11, 1966.

(b) Anna Virginia[5] Mills, second child of George Wesley Mills and Julia Thomas Hansford Mills was born February 20, 1915. She married Smith Hamm February 18, 1939. They had two children:

aa. George Wallace[6] Hamm born December 20, 1941; married Janice Purcell and they have two children.

bb. Judith Carole[6] Hamm born September 27, 1943. She married Bobby Allen Golden October 7, 1961. They have two children.

Smith Hamm died in 1946 a relatively young man.

(c) Ivan Dutton[5] Mills, the third child of George Wesley Mills and Julia Hansford Mills, died June 3, 1919.

(d) Olive ~~Charlaine~~ SHARLENE[5] Mills, youngest child of George Wesley Mills and Julia Hansford Mills, born July 15, ~~1927~~ 1926, married James Thomas Hogge July 1, 1944. They had one son: Thomas Wesley[6] Hogge born December 2, 1948. He married and has two children.

James Thomas Hogge died January 1982.

(2) Clifton Pendleton[4] Mills, second son of J. Wesley[3] Mills and Virginia Dutton Mills, married Annie Crockett. They had two daughters:

(a) Doris[5] Mills who married Dexter Haven. They have a daughter.

(b) Helen[5] Mills who married Theodore W. Antoniewicz. They have two daughters.

Clifton P. Mills died November 1, 1972 aged 83 years. (obit. Daily Press)

(3) Otis Robins[4] Mills, third son of J. Wesley[3] Mills and Virginis Dutton Mills, married Julia Davis. They had three children:

(a) Cecil Stokeley[5] Mills born November 2, 1911

(b) Hilda[5] Mills

(c) Frances Robins[5] Mills

(a) Cecil Stokeley[5] Mills married first, Frances Williams and they had three sons:

aa. Ronald[6] Mills who married Julia Presson and had four daughters.

bb. Larry Reid[6] Mills born 1941; married and has a family.

cc. Robin[6] Mills born 1947; married and has a family.

Cecil Stokeley Mills married secondly, Hetty Sealy and they had one son:

dd. Otis Cecil[6] Mills

Cecil Stokeley Mills died October 6, 1974.

(b) Hilda[5] Mills married Dale Booth. They had two children:

aa. Judith[6] Booth who married John Jones and had a daughter Jenny[7] Jones. Judith Booth Jones died January 9, 1972 aged 28 years.

bb. Steven[6] Booth is married and has a family.

(c) Frances Robin[5] Mills, third child of Otis R.[4] Mills and Julia Davis Mills, married M.E.Edmondson. They have four children:

aa. Mark[6] Edmondson born 1949

bb. Rodney[6] Edmondson born 1954

cc. Amy[6] Edmondson born 1959

dd. Brian Edmondson.

Otis Robin Mills died October 24, 1961. Julia Davis Mills died August 12, 1969. (tombstone)

(4) Robert Elmer[4] Mills (called "Bunks), fourth child of J. Wesley[3] Mills and Virginia Dutton Mills, married Linda Hornsby. They had four children:

(a) Robert Elmer[5] Mills Jr., called "Junie" is married and lives in Williamsburg.

(b) Coleman[5] Mills married, lived, and died in Seattle, Washington.

(c) Beunice[5] Mills married and lives at Chincoteague.

(d) Louise[5] Mills married and died a young woman survived by two children.

Robert Elmer[5] Mills married secondly, but had no other children. He died November 3, 1959. (obit. Daily Press)

(5) Bertha Lee[4] Mills, daughter of J. Wesley[3] Mills and Virginia Dutton Mills, was born December 24, 1892. She died March 8, 1907. (tombstone)

(6) John Bull[4] Mills, son of J. Wesley[3] Mills and Virginia Dutton Mills, married Evelyn Light from Baltimore, Md.. They had two children. This family resided in Hampton where Mr. Mills died.

(7) Clarence[4] Mills, youngest son of J. Wesley[3] Mills and Virginia Dutton Mills, married Evelyn Wright. They had two children:

(a) Clarence[5] Mills Jr

(b) Bertha[5] Mills

Clarence[4] Mills Sr., who was a captain on a tug boat, died by drowning when it sank in Hampton Roads April 26, 1965.

(8) Wesley[4] "Wessie"Mills, eighth and youngest child of J. Wesley[3] Mills and Virginia Dutton Mills, married Harry DeAlba. They have two daughters:

(a) Rose Marie[5] DeAlba

(b) Virginia Adelaide[5] DeAlba

(a) Rose Marie[5] DeAlba married Gerald Ray Hopkins from Poquoson and their children are:

aa. Christopher[6] Hopkins, married and has a family

bb. Keven[6] Hopkins

cc. Joyce[6] Hopkins

dd. Ann[6] Hopkins

(b) Virginia Adelaide[5] DeAlba married Allen Pompei and they have two daughters:

aa. Kathy[6] Pompei, who married _____Smith and has one child. She has married secondly.

bb. Patty[6] Pompei

6. ~~William~~ Henry Estaidge[3] Mills, ********* child of John Bull[2] Mills and Margaret Montgomery Mills, was born 1869. He married Ella Frances Dutton from Gloucester County, Virginia. She was born 1869. They had ~~seven~~ Three children:

(1) Blanche[4] Mills who married John Drummond and they had a family. They resided in Hampton.

(2) Eva[4] Mills who married Thomas Dorsey and they had a family. They resided in Hampton.

(3) Harry[4] Mills, born 1896, married Eunice Sparrer October 15, 1922. They had no children. Harry Mills died November 11, 1967.

(4) Stacey[4] Mills, who married Neil Riggin. They had one son.

(5) Lola[4] Mills who married Ollie Diggs. They had two children.

(6) Wilbur[4] Mills who married Mabel Shields and had a son. Wilbur Mills died November 27, 1974. Mabel Shields Mills died February 3, 1980 aged 73 years. (Obit. Daily Press.)

(7) Margaret[4] Mills married Casper Epes. They had a family.

The Henry Mills family lived in Seaford, York County for a number of years, Later they moved to Hampton where their descendants continue to reside. Henry[3] Mills died March 21, 1942 aged 72 years. His wife Ella Mills died 1947.

7. Ethelbert[3] Mills, child of John Bull Mills and Margaret Montgomery[2] Mills, was born November 20, 1874. He married Estelle Dutton of Gloucester County, Virginia. She was born August 10, 1877. They had four children:

(1) Nellie[4] Mills born 1903 (obit.)

(2) Charles Wesley[4] Mills born February 24, 1906 (tombstone)

(3) Ethel[4] Mills born 1909

(4) Reginald Montgomery[4] Mills born August 28, 1913 (tombstone)

(1) Nellie[4] Mills married Claude Parker October 24, 1919. They had two daughters:

(a) Mary Estelle[5] Parker born March 13, 1921

(b) Audrey Frances[5] Parker born December 26, 1922

(a) Mary Estelle[5] Parker married first, Dewitt Huckabee and

they had three sons:

aa. Talmadge[6] Huckabee born July 26, 1940. He is married and has a family.

bb. Michael[6] Huckabee born September 27, 1943

cc. Keith[6] Huckabee born August 27, 1950

Estelle Parker Huckerbee married secondly, Thomas Groff February 26, 1969.

(b) Audrey Frances[5] Parker married Vernon Markham July 12, 1948 and they have a daughter Claudia[6] Markham born 1949 who is married to Carl Gunther.

Audrey Parker Markham is a graduate nurse and is on the staff at Riverside Hospital in Newport News.

Claud Parker died November 11, 1970. Nellie Mills Parker died February 5, 1974 aged 71 years. (obituary Daily Press)

(2) Charles Wesley[4] Mills, second child of Ethelbert[3] Mills and Estelle Dutton Mills, married Madeline Sparrer July 2, 1927. They had one daughter, Betty Gray[5] Mills, born May 28, 1928. She married Charles Hopkins and they have three daughters.

Charles Wesley[4] Mills died October 23, 1967.

(3) Ethel[4] Mills, third child of Ethelbert[3] Mills and Estelle Dutton Mills, married Fayette Sinclair Moore. They had two sons

(a) Fayette[5] Sinclair Moore Jr. who married a cousin, Helen Perry Wornom. Their children are:

aa. John Forrest[6] Moore born July 16, 1957

bb. Raleigh Marshall[6] Moore born August 23, 1960

cc. Elizabeth Lee[6] Moore born February 27, 1963

dd. Crysta Clair[6] Moore born October 25, 1969

(b) Phillip[5] Moore, married Amy Emerson and they have two daughters:

aa. Richie[6] Moore

bb. Regan[6] Moore

(4) Reginald Montgomery[4] Mills, youngest child of Ethelbert[3] Mills and Estelle Dutton Mills, married Effie Mae Butler. They had two children:

(a) Montgomery[4] Mills (called "Monty") who is married and has a family.

(b) Rebecca[4] Mills who married Richard White and they have a family.

Reginald Montgomery Mills died December 30, 1964 from burns following a marina accident. Effie Mae Butler Mills died November 18, 1977 aged 60 years. (obit.)

Ethelmert[3] Mills married secondly, Della Haywood, a widow, after his first wife Estelle Dutton Mills died July 7, 1938. He died September 20, 1948. (tombstone records) This family resided in the Seaford, Virginia area.

8. Catherine[3] Mills, called "Cattie", [redacted]h and youngest child of John Bull Mills and Margaret Montgomery[2] Mills, married Ira Acree. They had three children:

(1) Grace[4] Acree born October 11, 1895

(2) Mastin[4] Acree

(3) Hugh[4] Acree

(1) Grace[4] Acree married ____Jones. Following his death she married secondly, Winton Thomas Ames. She had no children.

For many years Grace Aeree Jones Ames taught in the public schools in Newport News, Virginia. Mr. Ames died December 23, 1972. She died January 27 1982.

(2) Mastin[4] Aeree married Myrtle Eason. They had two children:

(a) James Allen[5] Aeree

(b) Billy Mills[5] Aeree

Myrtle Eason Aeree died October 23, 1960.

(3) Hugh[4] Aeree married Diana Wornom of Poquoson. They have children among them being the Rev. Irvin[5] Aeree, a renoun Baptist Minister who has done missionary work in South America.

Following the death of Ira Aeree, Catherine Mills Aeree married seeondly, Elmer White of Dare, Va..

(F) George Montgomery[2], son of Captain John Montgomery[1] and Sarah Hopkins Montgomery settled in Warwick County, Virginia. He married a Miss Walker and they had one son, George[3] Montgomery Jr. He married and was the parent of two sons.

Other information is not available to this writer.

(G) Mary Montgomery[2], the youngest child of Captain John Montgomery[1] and his wife, Sarah Hopkins Montgomery, married James Marshall Davis and died in childbirth leaving no descendants.

This brings to a close this account of the descendants of Captain John Montgomery and Sarah Hopkins Montgomery, progenitors of the York County family of Montgomery.

September 8, 1982 Elizabeth Hogg Ironmonger

EPILOGUE :

If one had to think of a single attribute which characterizes the MONTGOMERY family it would be that these people were "church-minded". They were, and still are, involved in the most important aspects of the United Methodist Church's program to the more menial tasks in the local churches.

The Reverend John T. Mills was a member of the Virginia United Methodist Conference, as has already been cited, and he served as pastor of several Methodist churches throughout the Conference. In 1932 Rev. Mills came to the Zion United Methodist Church as its minister and he served most effectively for four years.

When it came time for his retirement from the active itenery he and his family came to Seaford and established their home. He then became active in the program of Zion Church and served as Chairman of the Building Committee 1949-1951 when the third sanctuary was constructed. He died October 31, 1966 aged 83 years.

G. Edward (Ed.) Purgold and George S. Montgomery initiated weekly prayer services with the inmates of York County jail and with young men held in a local State Prison Camp. According to an article in the Daily Press in 1967, George S. Montgomery who was then past 96 years old, was asked his formula for a long life, he said:"I never smoked, never drank beer or any liquor and I've always gotten plenty of exercise."

Mr. Montgomery told the reporter that for more than forty years he had been chairman of the Zion United Methodist Church Official Board and that he had read the Bible through more then 200 times and was

continuing to read it. He lived to be almost 100 years old.

On Sunday January 20, 1974 a special program was held at Zion Church honoring Grady L. Montgomery for his many years of service to this church. Appropriate words of appreciation were given by Dr. Carroll Fink, Peninsula District Superintendent; by the Rev. Norwood P. Montgomery (son of Grady); and by the Reverend Arthur Ayres, the pastor. It was pointed out that Mr. Montgomery had served as Church Treasurer forty-two years as well as in other places of responsibility. A Book of Remembrance and a plaque were presented to him and his wife during the service.

Grady Montgomery also served in the First World War and was wounded in action in France. He died December 2, 1981.

The Reverend Norwood P. Montgomery has been most successful as the pastor of United Methodist churches. He is currently (1982) pastor of St. Luke's United Methodist Church in York County where he has served twelve years.

Donald P. Davis also is a member of the Virginia Conference of the United Methodist Church. He has held several pastorates but is currently in the teaching profession. He renders his services at Zion Church almost like an Assistant Pastor.

Mrs Margaret Hornsby Powell gave to Zion Church her services for services as church organist for more than twenty years.

Mrs. Julia Hansford Mills, wife of George W. Mills, made a great contribution through the Women's Missionary Society of Zion United Methodist Church when she served for twenty years as President. She was also a Steward on the Official Board of that church.